

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN  
SOUTHERN DIVISION**

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IN RE AUTOMOTIVE PARTS  
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: Master File No. 12-md-02311  
: Honorable Sean F. Cox  
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**STIPULATION AND ORDER EXTENDING THE BRIEFING SCHEDULE  
OF PENDING MOTION FOR *PRO RATA* DISTRIBUTION TO  
AUTHORIZED CLAIMANTS**

WHEREAS, on December 27, 2024, End Payor Plaintiffs (“EPPs”), by their Settlement Class Counsel, filed a Motion for Pro Rata Distribution to Authorized Claimants (Dkt. No. 2256) (the “Motion”);

WHEREAS, on January 10, 2025, Balch & Bingham LLP, as counsel for certain class members, conferred with EPPs’ Settlement Class Counsel regarding an extension of their time to respond to the Motion while the parties meet and confer;

WHEREAS, on January 10, 2025, Settlement Class Counsel agreed to an initial extension in order to confer further regarding a longer extension requested;

WHEREAS, on January 14, 2024, the Court granted Balch & Bingham LLP

and Settlement Class Counsel an extension of time to file a response and reply to the Motion for Pro Rata Distribution to Authorized Claimants (Dkt. No. 2262);

WHEREAS, pursuant to that Order, Balch & Bingham's response to the Motion, if any, is currently due on or before January 24, 2025; and EPPs' Reply in support of the Motion, if any is currently due on or before February 13, 2025;

WHEREAS, Balch & Bingham and Settlement Class Counsel have continued to confer regarding a potential resolution;

WHEREAS, more time is needed to complete those discussions.

IT IS THEREFORE STIPULATED AND AGREED by counsel for certain class members Balch & Bingham LLP and Settlement Class Counsel that:

1. Balch & Bingham's Response to the Motion, if any, shall be due on or before February 7, 2025; and
2. EPPs' Reply in support of the Motion shall be due on or before February 28, 2025.

**IT IS SO ORDERED.**

Dated: January 28, 2025

s/Sean F. Cox  
Sean F. Cox  
U. S. District Judge

**STIPULATED AND AGREED.**

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